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MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated April 18, 2003, please consider the remarks as submitted herewith on the accompanying pages.

REMARKS

Claims 1-3, 5-16, and 18-22 are all the claims pending in the application. In view of the new grounds of rejection cited in this Office Action, Applicants note that claims 18-22 are still allowable, and that dependent claims 2, 3 and 5-16 recite allowable subject matter. However, claim 1 stands rejected under 35 U.S.C. §103(a) as being unpatentable over U.S. Patent 3,520,180 to Polhemus et al. in view of previously cited U.S. Patent 6,457,352 to Knestel.